

KENTUCKY GAZETTE

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FOR SALE CASH WANTED. An APPRENTICE to the GUN and SILVER-SMITH's business.

EDWARD WEST Jun-
Lexington, Nov. 13, 1790.

Eighty acres of land, lying in Fayette county, near the head of Jessamine creek, for which twelve months credit will be allowed, the purchaser giving bond with approved security; Any person inclining to purchase the same may know the terms by applying to the subscriber.

Nicholas Lewis.

Danville, Dec. 12, 1790.

WILL be given for good wheat or flour
by
NICHOLAS WOOD Baker.
Lexington, Dec. 16, 1790.

L O S T

Between Bryans station and Lewis is Craig's mill, sometime about the 1st. inst. a note of hand from Richard Mauldin in Cumberland to the subscriber for forty patterns of deerskins and seventeen and three quarter pounds of beaver furr.

Lost also on the 24th inst. a silver watch on the Hickman road within three or four miles of Lexington. Whoever delivers the said watch or the above note to the printer hereof or the subscriber shall have two dollars reward.

N. B. If the above note should be offered for sale, I expect it will be stopped, and I caution all persons against dealing for the same.

GEORGE HUNTER.

Dec. 29, 1790.

JUST ARRIVED

And now opening at the subscriber's store in Lexington,

A General assortment of merchandize, which he will dispose of on the lowest terms for cash and peltry.

WILLIAM MORTON.

WANTED a quantity of raw hides green or dried, for which 3d. per lb. will be given for the green, and in proportion for dried, in cash or leather.

Wm. MORTON.

Oct. 23, 1790.

THE PENNSYLVANIA PACKET will be received by every opportunity, from Philadelphia, and will be filed in my house, for the perusal of any gentleman who may apply.

THOMAS YOUNG.

Lexington Dec. 18, 1790.

TAKEN up by the subscriber near Morgans Mill Boons creek a gray mare and sorrel horse colt, with a blaze face, the mare about 6 feet high, rising 6 years old, neither docked nor branded, has on a sizeable patched Bell, fastened on with a leather strap and single buckle; Appraised to £9.

Amos Smith.

August 24, 1790.

I Hereby forewarn all persons from dealing or trading with my wife Eleanor Lively, as I am determined not to pay or confirm any contract she may make.

William Lively.

Dec. 29, 1790.

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A large company will meet at the Crab Orchard on Saturday the 15th day of January in order to start early next morning through the Wilderness. Every person is to come well armed.

All kinds of blank books for Merchants Clerks &c. made and ruled to any pattern: Also old books new bound, on reasonable terms at this office.

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War department, September 9th, 1790.

INFORMATION is hereby given to all the military Invalids of the United States, that the sums to which they are annually entitled, and which will become due on the 4th day of March ensuing, will be paid on the said day, by the Commissioners of the loans within the States respectively, under such regulations as the President of the United States may direct.

H. KNOX.

Secretary for the Department of War.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

L O N D O N Sept. 2.

A Correspondant returning from Paris through a part of Normandy, found in a village a priest in great distress and despondence. Becoming a little intimate with him through generosity, he confessed the occasion of his melancholy was the loss of his private trade; for he administered to the women of the district, chalk, which he took from the neighbouring hill, but which he pretended to have been dug out of the grotto of the blessed Virgin, at Bethlehem in Palestine. In this grot, it is said, she hid herself, with her divine babe, from the fury of Herod. Some drops of milk fell from her breast as she was suckling the Holy infant, and all the earth of the grotto and surrounding hill became instantly a brilliant, white, and assumed a wonderful virtue in occasioning a female fruitfulness, and increasing the flow of milk in the breast.

The licentious and seditious pamphlets have lately increased to such a surprising degree in the city of Paris, that the assembly were under the necessity of making some severe regulations to stop their progress: and a decree accordingly passed, ordering the committees of the constitution and criminal jurisprudence to prepare a plan of a law to strike at the root of this growing evil.

Letters from Genoa mention, that the King of Hungary has refused his mediation in some difference that have arisen between that republic and the King of Sardinia, as being sufficiently engaged on his own affairs.

Ministers are said to have received an answer from America to the offers which was made them of a beneficial alliance with this country which might improve their views against the Spaniards;

and that in founding the states on this important point, they do not find them so eager for the connection as imagined. An answer certainly not a decisive one, has been received, and it has given no pleasure to our court. The American states said as we are credibly informed, that they should be wanting in gratitude to the French, by whom they were supported, if they should make any such alliance without seeing what steps their good and great ally should take in case of a rupture between England and Spain. This we learn was the first observation made on the proposal, and this ministers have received within these few days—*London Eve. Post.*

Lately, a Rector of castel, on the frontiers of the German Lorraine, mounted the president's rostrum of the constitution society, in the uniform of commandant of the national guard of his canton. "The duties of a minister of the gospel," says he, "necessarily agree with those of patriotism. The church abhors effusion of blood, it is true, but she cannot prevent any body shedding his blood in the cause of liberty. My parishioners who inhabit the frontiers, when they armed themselves, insisted on my being at their head. From the pulpit the seat of truth, in sacerdotal garments, I preach to them morals of religion and the laws of the constitution; when that duty is done, I put on my uniform in order to defend religion, and the constitution and my country." This short speech produced a general enthusiasm, and the virtuous priest was unanimously admitted a member of the society.

The negotiation between England and Spain in George the Second's reign, lasted from the year 1735 to 1739 and after sundry declarations and counter declarations, terminated in a war at last: And it requires not the spirit of prophecy to say, that if France can possibly be drawn into the present dispute Spain will neither give up the South Sea fishery nor the trade of the North-west coast of America, without an appeal to the sword. That both Spain and England continue their preparations is certain, and it is as certain

that France is forming with the greatest vigour.

The French and Spanish Ambassadors, we are well assured, have deposited their plate and jewels at a banker's in St. James's street. The inference which may be drawn from this circumstance, are too obvious to require a comment.

A letter from a young Heir to the Probate Judge.

SIR,

MY father departed this life not long hence, and has left a widow and five scorpions—I understand he died detested and made me executioner, but the estate is like to prove insolent, I was told that as you was judge of reprobates you must send me a letter of condemnation—

And as in duty bound

I shall ever pray, &c.

NEW-YORK, November 1.

By the latest accounts from Philadelphia, we are informed, that upwards of five hundred new houses are to be built in that city next season, the masons being already engaged to lay the foundations early in the spring. Our accounts further say, the houses are at present so fully occupied, or engaged, that it is extremely difficult for a family, or even for a solitary bachelor, to procure an eligible situation. The streets are thronged with clerks, private secretaries, short-hand writers, office holders, office hunters, &c. &c. &c. from New York and elsewhere. Barbers and hair dressers are flocking from all parts of the continent, ready armed with curling irons and craping tongs, the universal cry of all whom is, "where shall we procure a house? Gentlemen, what shall we do for a house? Is there no man, woman, or child, that can inform us where we shall get a house? Gentlemen, what shall we do for a house, if the frosts and snows should come on before a house is ready, &c."

November 6.

Extract of a letter from Bristol, Sept. 1.

"The famous Herschell is about to publish some new observations upon the planetary system. With respect to these already made on the moon, if his glasses have not missed him, the deductions will give us a good deal of insight into the real nature of that planet. From the information of his new telescope, several burning mountains commonly called Volcanoes, do there exist; and if such an element as fire does there exist, there must be certainly such a fluid as air to support it; and from hence we may count upon the reality of an atmosphere about our attendant Satellite. By a peculiar lucid white

ness always distinguishable at one or the other of the lunar poles he also proves, that like the poles of the Earth, they are alternately covered with snow and ice. Mr. Herschell is now waiting anxiously for a total lunar eclipse, in hopes it will afford him an opportunity of making some new discoveries, to improve the planetary knowledge of the eighteenth century. Miss Herschell, sister to the astronomer has lately written a second letter, to the Royal Society on astronomical subjects, which is much read and approved of. We have, indeed, no woman upon record in this or any other country who has applied tubes with such success, to the planetary system, as this lady."

BALTIMORE, November 2.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman at Alexandria, to his friend in this town dated the 29th. ult.

Just in the moment of closing this letter, I have been informed, by a gentleman from the Southward, that, yesterday, capt. Mowbray, in a vessel from England, arrived at Port Royal, Rappahannock river, after a very short passage, report says in 22 days, by which there are the most authenticated accounts of war having absolutely taken place between England and Spain, and that the captain had actually read the declaration of war, previous to his leaving England. How far this may be true I cannot say; but from several circumstances, I am apt to give credit to it.

PITTSBURGH Nov. 27.

The commander in chief of the Havanna, has received a letter from the Spanish minister of state dated the 25th of August, in which he is directed to make every preparation, and to conduct himself as if a war had been actually declared. The minister in the letter did not express the smallest doubt but that a declaration of war would shortly and inevitably be made.

Instructions of a similar nature have been received by the principal officer at New Orleans.

The foregoing information was received from a gentleman who arrived at Philadelphia, on the 4th instant from New Orleans.

Lavater the celebrated physiognomist, gives the following aphorism on woman, which we shall submit to the consideration of our readers: "A great woman not imperious; a fair woman not vain; a woman of common talents, not jealous; an accomplished woman who shuns to shine; are four wonders, just great enough to be divided among the four quarters of the globe.

LEXINGTON, January 8.

As a concurring circumstance with the report of the British having taken New Orleans (as published in our last) it has been reported, here, that the British court had solicited Congress, for liberty to march an army thro' part of the United States territory, to the Florida's; How far these reports may be credited we will not say, but we have received nothing official on the subject.

TO BE SOLD

To the highest bidder for ready cash, on the first Tuesday in February next, (being Jefferson court day,) in the town of Louisville

The whole estate both real and personal, of George Meriwether deceased—consisting of about twenty likely Virginia born slaves,—men, women, boys and girls, several of which are good household servants, and one a valuable house carpenter,—some household and kitchen furniture, a quantity of books, amongst which are some valuable law authors—The sale of the negroes to begin at 10 o'clock and continue until all is sold.—The sale will then be adjourned to the house of Mr. John Hughes for part of the household furniture, the other part together with one negro girl, will be sold at the house of the subscriber.

Likewise will be sold on the 10th day of the March Genl. court in the town of Danville for ready cash 1100 acres of land on the waters of liver creek, 1490 acres on clover creek, likewise a parcel of land in the forks of Dicks river adjoining the lands of Col. Paulding.

NICHOLAS MERIWETHER.

Ex'or of
George Meriwether.

December 29, 1790

A large company will meet at the Crab Orchard on Saturday the 1st day of February, in order to start early next morning through the Wilderness; Every person is to come well armed.

ALL persons indebted to the subscribers either by note or book account are requested to pay up their respective balances immediately, as no other method will enable them to settle the account of their partnership.

JONAS DAVENPORT.
JACOB TODHUNTER.

TAKEN up by the subscriber near Boon's station, a red heifer 2 or 3 years old, marked with a hole and underkeel in the right ear, and in left appears to have been a hole but since tore out; Appraised to £1-10.
Randall Nee.

August 19, 1790.

TAKEN up by the subscriber in Woodford County, on Cane run, a red cow with a white face & back, had on a bell with a leather strap and buckle, marked with a crop and two stars in her right ear, 9 years old. Appraised to £3-10.

Samuel Logan.

NOTICE.

THIS mere necessity that makes it requisite to request all those indebted to me for Schooling &c. to pay it on or before the 20th day of this month: Those readily complying, will much oblige their humble servant.

JACOB E. LEHRE.

Lexington, January 8, 1790.

FOUND

ON the 24th of December last between Bryans station and Bourbon, a bond from Joseph Norris and Mordecai Cole to James Mason, the owner may hear of it by applying to the printer hereof.
Jan. 5, 1791.

TAKEN up by the subscriber near Cleveland's landing a light grey horse, about 13 years old, 4 feet 9 inches and a half high, a long dock, branded on the near buttock resembling H Appraised to £6.

Also, a black horse, about 4 feet 3 inches and a half high, rising 4 years old, branded on the near shoulder and buttock 3. Appraised to £4.

Reuben Emmerston.

Nov. 3, 1790.

Treasury Department, Sept. 20th 1790.

IT is hereby made known, that the following arrangement has been adopted towards carrying into execution the act, making provision for the debt of the United States viz:

Loan-Office certificates, and those issued by the commissioners for the adjustment of accounts in the several states, will be receivable only at the treasury and by the respective commissioners of loans within the states in which they were respectively issued. The certificates issued by the register of the treasury, by the Pay-master General and commissioner of army accounts, by the commissioners for the adjustment of the accounts of the Quarter-masters Commissary's, Hospital, Clothing and Marine Departments, indents of interest, and bills of old emission, will be receivable indiscriminately at the treasury and by the commissioners of all the States. The situation of the Checks has dictated this arrangement for the greater security of the public against impositions by forged or counterfeit paper, and the details which have been adopted from the same consideration for the execution of the business are such that it will give facility and dispatch, if applications from the holders of certificates of the register of the treasury and of the Pay-master General, and commissioner of army accounts, and of the commissioners of the five departments above-mentioned, are made in the first instance at the treasury; and if applications from the holders of loan office certificates, and certificates issued by the commissioners for the adjustment of accounts in the respective states, are made in like manner to the commissioners of loans within the states in which they were issued. Transfers can afterwards be made to any office that the proprietors of the certificates may desire.

CORNELIUS BEATTY & Co.

HAVE just received an additional supply of

MERCHAN- DISE

AT their store in Lexington, at the corner of main and cross streets, which they will dispose of on the most moderate terms for cash, furs and public securities.

At this store will be regularly supplied with goods, a general assortment will be constantly kept up in future.

TAKEN up by the subscriber living on Boon's creek, a bay horse, has no white, about 7 years old, 4 feet 9 inches high, has a dent on the right side against the rib, which is split, is lame in the off hind leg, no brands appraised to £2.

Also a bay mare mixed with white hairs, about 4 feet 9 inches high, 9 or 10 years old, has a small star, her hind feet white, has scars on her sides, is cat hamed, docked but no brands; Appraised to £2.
Randall Alexander,

SIX

DOLLARS

REWARD

STRAYED or stolen from cane run, about four miles from Lexington, on the evening of the 17th inst. a bright sorrel mare, with a blaze face, three years old last spring, 14 hands and a half high, natural trotter, shews the blood, a long switch tail, and has remarkable long ears, branded on the near shoulder D.

Also a bright bay horse, two years old last spring, fourteen hands and a half high, a large star in his forehead, blind in the off eye, natural trotter, no brand. Whoever delivers the said creatures to either of the subscribers, shall have the above reward, or three dollars for either.

DAVID HENDERSON.

JOHN McCULLOUGH.

Dec. 29, 1790.

FRESH

GOODS,

JUST IMPORTED
BY
PETER JANUARY & SON,

A large and general assortment of

GOODS,

Which they will sell at their store directly opposite the Printing office, on reasonable terms for cash, furs, and certificates,

JUST ARRIVED,

And now opening for sale

ALEXANDER AND JAMES

PARKER

A large and general assortment of

GOODS

Well calculated for the season,

IN two stores in this place, one of them opposite the Court house, the other at their old stand below the Printing-Office; which they will sell on moderate terms for Cash, militia certificates, final settlements, rye, bearskins, furs of all kinds, green and dry hides.

Also a few casks of butter if delivered shortly.

Lexington Sept. 27, 1790.

TO BE SOLD

FOR CASH

A HOUSE and lot in the town of Lexington, also 150 acres of land of the best quality, within five miles of Lexington; enquire of the printer.